

In re the Application of

: Docket No. 0074-456224

CHRISTOPHER HARGRAVE CHITTY

Art Unit 3712

Application No. 10/031,675

Examiner DMITRY SUHOL

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Petition for Extension Under 37 CFR §1.136(a)

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time of THREE month(s) beyond the time period set in the

last office communication. The proper fee under 37 CFR §1.17 is enclosed.

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- 2) Fee Transmittal for FY 2004;
- 3) Government Fee (small entity) 3-months extension fee: check in the amount of \$475.00; and
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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

✓ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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Large Entity S	Small Entity			1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	475.00
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	2001 385	Utility filing fee		1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340	2002 170	Design filing fee		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530	2003 265	Plant filing fee		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770	2004 385	Reissue filing fee		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable Petition to revive - unintentional Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
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1202 18	2202	9 Claims in excess of 20)	1809	770	2809		property (times number of properties) Filing a submission after final rejection	
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